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## **OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated November 5, 2004, please consider the following remarks beginning on page 5.

The pending claims are listed beginning at page 2. No amendments to the claims are presented.